



Group Discussion and Application

1. What are some of the wrong views of Mary that are taught?
2. What are the dangers of such erroneous views?
3. What do you think has led to these wrong views of Mary?
4. Why does God use ordinary people to accomplish His extraordinary purposes?
5. Why is humility so important for serving Christ?
What happens when a person tries to serve Christ apart from humility?
6. How does sin in our life affect our service for Christ?
Give an example of sin excluding someone from a particular form of ministry.
7. How would you define submission to God?
How do we evidence submission to the will of God?
8. How are qualities like humility, holiness, and submission developed?



Personal Reflection and Response

1. What is your response to God's gift—His only Son, and salvation thru Him?
2. How has today's study affected your perspective on Mary?
3. What calling has God given you to do for Him? How have you responded?
4. Which of the qualities exhibited in the life of Mary do you need to develop in your own life and service for Christ?
What specific action will you take to nurture this quality?



Family Homework

1. Ask each family member to select one of their favorite characters from the Christmas story (in Matt. and Luke) and then do a study of these people.
What does the Bible teach us about each of these people?
2. If someone were to preach a sermon on your life, what would they say about you? What qualities characterize you?



Mary, Mary, quite...

Luke 1:26-38

What does Scripture teach us about Mary?

1 Mary was _____.

2 Mary was _____.

3 Mary was _____.

4 Mary was _____.